

# Rowers Reel



## What's happening @TheRowers?

### ***In Conversation@The Rowers with Ken Done, AM.***

In the lead up event to our inaugural *Art@The Rowers*, we were delighted to welcome Ken to present the fascinating story of his artistic journey for *In Conversation@The Rowers*. Ken combined his love of painting, bold colour and strong design to become a huge success, bringing together a strong entrepreneurial bent into his artistic achievements. A packed house enjoyed his tales as colourful as his art work!

It was a great evening, and thank you Ken for returning as our judge of the *Art@The Rowers* exhibiton. Find full details of the exhibiton inside!



**Mosman Rowers acknowledges that our Club is on Cammeraygal country**

## Reminders

See full details in this newsletter:

- **Jazz@The Rowers: First Tuesday of the Month**
- **Dining Differently@The Rowers: Brazilian nite: May 19th**
- ***In Conversation@The The Rowers: protecting our precious oceans with Prof Martina Doblin* Tues 26th April**
- **All your favourites:**
  - Monthly Tues Jazz and Wed Trivia
  - Weekly Thurs Live Music
  - Friday Meat Raffle along with mid-week dinner specials



# President's Message



To all our wonderful Mosman Rowers Members,

The past month has been jammed full of fabulous activity. Late Feb local artist Ken Done presented our February *In Conversation@The Rowers* to a packed house as a lead up to our wonderful *Art@The Rowers* exhibition. Ken was also the judge of our art prize. Thankyou Ken and family who have enjoyed connecting with Rowers.

Our inaugural *Art@The Rowers* exhibition has been a massive success with sincere thanks to the team led by volunteer Gill Burke who planned, executed and managed a highly professional exhibition. We sold over half the works on display, a stunning collection of works depicting Mosman Bay. Our warmest congratulations to Michelle Arnott the winner of the competition with her painting Hillside, which will be permanently displayed in the Rowers Bar. We reiterate our sincere gratitude to the Harris family (Harris Farm Markets) as our major sponsor, for generously supporting this inaugural exhibition.

As well as the Art Exhibition, we enjoyed another amazing *Jazz@The Rowers* Tues 1st March, with celebrated guest performer Ian Cooper. We were also set to celebrate *International Women's Day@The Rowers* Tues 8th March, with a discussion about marine conservation with Prof Martina Doblin, and a glass of champers. Unfortunately the event was cancelled due to the wild weather that lashed Sydney and the Northern beaches. We now look forward to welcoming Prof Doblin to the Rowers on Tues 26th and hope many of you are able to attend. And, while Sydney experienced some wild storms, our nearby areas in the Hawkesbury, Northern Beaches and North Coast have suffered massive flooding. Thanks to our staff team who ran a Saturday morning fundraiser with coffee and egg n bacon rolls donating to the Red Cross Flood Appeal.

Many of you will know Sam Curtis decided it was time to move on as the new GM at Sydney Flying Squadron, Kirribilli. We wish Sam every success, with our sincere thanks for his many contributions to Mosman Rowers.

Among his first challenges, is striving to get opening times back to normal, once we have secured a full complement of staff. Keep an eye on the weekly emails and our next Newsletter for extended opening hours, especially breakfast.

If you happen to be someone who inadvertently doesn't receive the weekly electronic updates on current specials and activities please let us know via [info@mosmanrowers.com.au](mailto:info@mosmanrowers.com.au).



## President's Message cont.

It is also the month of launching our revised Membership program, more attractive than ever. Please remember our Members are the life blood of the Club and its secure future. Also remember that our committees are all volunteers so have patience as we get all the new systems in place. Most importantly, please renew, and encourage your friends to sign-up too.

We hope to see you down at the Club regularly during the coming months.

Regards,

Kathrina Doran, President

## Membership@The Rowers: New and Renewing

As advised the Board has revised membership, partly due to COVID and partly to make it easier for everyone and to encourage all regulars to become Members. We are now offering reduced annual fees of just \$60 for individuals.

Member benefits include the 10% discount on drinks and 5% on food. Birthday vouchers are now replaced with regular 2 for 1 meal deals for Members only offered throughout the year. Members continue to get priority bookings and discounts on Club events and activities.

And we ask that Members recognise our membership system, hosted by MemberJungle automatically sends out renewal notices dependant on when you joined. These are not sent by the Club. The Club end is run by a volunteer, Julie Dalgleish who works tirelessly to make things as smooth as possible, so please be patient or volunteer to help. If you have received a renewal notice now is the time to renew which you can do online or in the Club.

Any queries please email: [membership@mosmanrowers.com.au](mailto:membership@mosmanrowers.com.au)

# It's All On @The Rowers

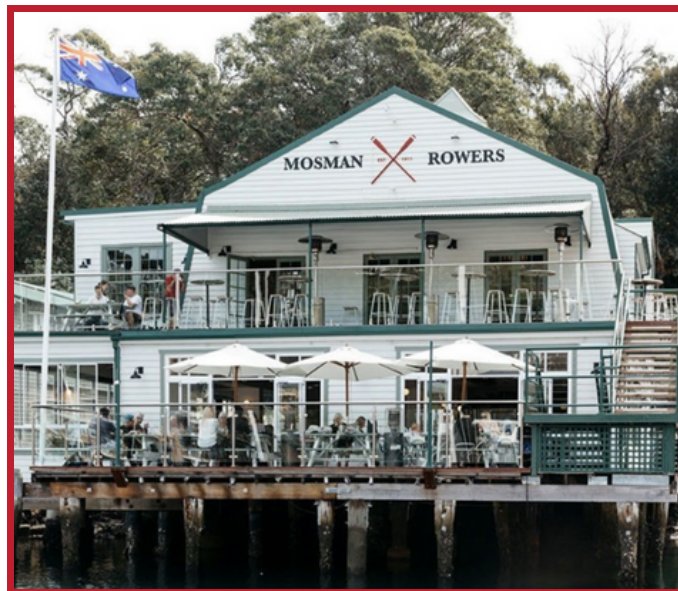
Plenty to keep you, your family and your friends engaged

**Tuesdays** continue to swing with the ever popular monthly *Jazz@The Rowers*, first Tuesday of the month. If you haven't been yet, why not? It's a fantastic evening.

**April 5th** come along and enjoy guest artist *Kate Wadey*. Kate is a Sydney-based jazz singer, hailing from Adelaide. Kate effortlessly explores and interprets jazz classics with a charm and sophistication that appear to come from another time and place. Kate has a rich and warm voice, coupled with a vocal range, sophistication and innate swing that belie her youth. Imbued with emotion, yet technically masterful, these interpretations are destined to hold their own among the greats.

To make the evening, book in for our prix fixe two course dinner special - \$44 for Members and \$49 non-members with Jazz entry included. [Bookings recommended](#). Tables are available from 4pm. Settle in and enjoy happy hour before the music begins.

The **third Wednesday of every month**, we host the best Trivia in Mosman (maybe Sydney!) with the fabulous John Ed, so grab your friends, rally the brains trusts and join us for trivia in the Rowers Bar. Next Trivia night is Wednesday **20th April**. Enjoy your trivia with a curry special. 7:30pm to 9pm.



**Happy Hour:** Sit by the water Monday to Friday 4 pm - 6pm with \$6 wines & local beer; \$12 Tommy's Margs and tickle your taste buds with our specials including \$6 Reuben sliders.

**Week-night Specials** from 5pm Monday to Thursday \$20 members | \$25 non-members includes a meal + house drink.

**Sundays Roasts** are back! Nothing says it's Sunday quite like a classic Sunday Roast.

Every Sunday at The Rowers enjoy our hearty and traditional Roast of the day with sides, only \$28 for members | \$32 non-members.

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm	<b>Archie Bear</b> 10am - 4pm
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<b>Events:</b> Happy Hour	<b>Events:</b> Happy Hour	<b>Events:</b> Happy Hour	<b>Events:</b> Happy Hour	<b>Events:</b> Happy Hour		<b>Events:</b> Sunday Roast
<b>Burger Special</b>	<b>Steak Special</b>	<b>Curry Special</b>	<b>Schnitzel Special</b>	<b>Meat Raffle &amp; Live Music</b>		
		<b>Trivia</b>	<b>Live Music</b>			

# Art@The Rowers: Inaugural Exhibition a great success

Whilst a demanding project, the results of running our inaugural art exhibition has delighted everyone. Mosman Mayor, Carolyn Corrigan launched *Art@The Rowers* on Sat 5th March. Local artists submitted inspired artworks across a range of media and styles. As the inaugural exhibition, and given we celebrated our 110 year history last year, all entries depicted our beautiful Mosman Bay. The works have been admired and many purchased by enthusiastic viewers. Everyone agreeing the transformation to café plus gallery space was quite inspiring.

The exhibition was judged by Ken Done, with prizes generously provided by Harris Farm Markets. ArtSmart supplies providing discounted framing to all the exhibitors. A great awards evening was celebrated Sat 12th March, with the winners congratulated and presented with their awards by Ken Done and Angus Harris.



## And the winners.....

**1st Prize:** Michelle Arnott, *Hillside*

As an acquisitive exhibition this work is retained and will be showcased at the Club permanently. Congratulations Michelle.

**2nd Prize:** Rhae Hooper, *Lazy Sunday*

**3rd Prize:** Andrew Smith, *Halycon Days: The Old Mosman Rowers*

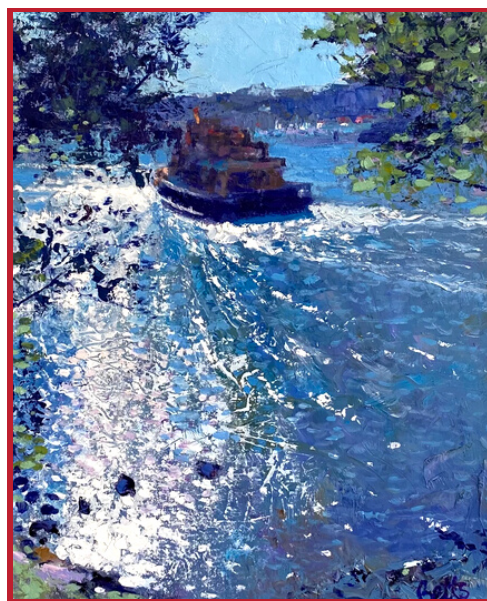
**Members Choice:** we thank the many Members who voted for their favourite piece, which was *Ferry Steaming into Sunshine, Mosman Bay* by artist Keith Betts.



1st prize, *Hillside* by Michelle Arnott with judge Ken Done

The winner, Michelle Arnott is involved in an exhibition as 'Local Artist in Profile' at the Mosman Art Gallery from April 23rd to June 26th, as well as her ongoing practice in her studio in the Headland Artist Precinct, Georges Heights, if you'd like to enjoy more of her work.

As Archie's café is now set up with hanging tracks, thanks to the expertise of Damien Thompson, of Neimad Picture solutions, we will make the space available to local artists and groups for exhibitions throughout the year. And we will hold an annual *Art@The Rowers* exhibition. For enquiries, contact [Art@mosmanrowers.com.au](mailto:Art@mosmanrowers.com.au)



Members Choice, *Ferry Steaming into Sunshine, Mosman Bay* by Keith Betts

# Charity Trivia Event @TheRowers

We're delighted to welcome Mosman charity Oneland Arts Sport Education Environment for a Charity Trivia Night Party on Friday 29th April. 6:00 - 10:00 pm with a special dinner deal.

There will be live trivia, prizes, lucky door gifts, raffles and a Mother's Day gift store hosting exquisite Aboriginal art and Indigenous designed tablecloths, tea towels and soaps.

For bookings, please [visit our website](#).



## Planning a special Event?

Contact our Events Co-ordinator for help with planning your special occasion, small business workshops and meetings; family gatherings, weddings, birthdays, life celebrations. Rowers is the perfect venue for a very special day. Wonderful views, matched with great service, food and wines!

We have several options for spaces, style of event, matched with very competitive beverage packages.

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# In Conversation@The Rowers with Prof Martina Doblin

**Tuesday 19th April, 6pm**

We are delighted to welcome Prof Martina Doblin, CEO of the Sydney Institute of Marine Science (SIMS) located in Chowder Bay. Martina was to be our special guest on International Women's day. Sadly wild storms required us to postpone this event.

Prof Doblin will present our next *In Conversation*. She will discuss the internationally important work of SIMS and the role that we can all play in the conservation our precious Sydney harbour, our wonderful bays and oceans beyond. All are impacted by industry, development and every human activity onshore. Plastic alone represents a major threat to marine life. A really important topic, if you love the ocean this is your chance to learn more and celebrate the many achievements of Australian marine scientists on the world stage.

Join us for an inspiring evening.

*In Conversation* evenings are free but bookings are recommended. Bring a group of friends and stay for the Tuesday night steak and wine special!



# Weekly Member Classes@The Rowers are back in the Gallery

Classes are back in the Gallery as the classes and activities resume. Keep an eye on the website [What's On @The Rowers](#) or contact the class co-ordinator directly.

## **Yoga Classes** Monday

Contact Samantha Samway: [islandgirl2@bigpond.com](mailto:islandgirl2@bigpond.com)

## **Vintage Fitness** Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

Contact Andrew Fisher:

[andrew@vintagefitnessandhealth.com](mailto:andrew@vintagefitnessandhealth.com)

## **Mums&Bubs** Friday

Contact Emily Reynolds : [em@barrewiththem.com](mailto:em@barrewiththem.com)

## **Pilates** Wednesday

Contact Fiona Malone

[fiona@theeloquentbody.com.au](mailto:fiona@theeloquentbody.com.au)

## **Community Choir** Thursday

Contact Joanna Weinberg:

[joanna.weinberg@bigpond.com](mailto:joanna.weinberg@bigpond.com)

## **Mahjong** Tuesdays

Contact Carole: [Carole.boyden@gmail.com](mailto:Carole.boyden@gmail.com)

## **Bridge** Thursday afternoons

Contact Derrick Browne: [trumps@trumps.net.au](mailto:trumps@trumps.net.au)

# DiningDifferently @The Rowers: Thurs 19th May

Last year COVID wrecked many events. This included our *Dining Differently* Brazilian night. You will be delighted to know that plans are underway for a wonderful feast and Brazilian themed evening of fun in May. Our resident Group Chef Brazilian Gabriel together with our Peruvian-trained Executive Chef James are busy selecting ingredients to design an exciting menu, our wine partners are carefully selecting and matching the wine and the band is warming up to make the wait well worthwhile.

Both Chefs love to innovate so we are very excited and looking forward to our next Dining Differently. Join us Thurs 19th May for a fantastic evening.

So mark your diary, and keep your eye out for the weekly emails. Be sure to book quickly because last year the event sold out very quickly, and those who had booked previously will be offered first option.

[Please see our website to book](#), this will sell out fast!

# A Very Special Event: Not@The Rowers

Featuring everyone's favourite barman, mulled wine mixologist, and regular live music performer, our Jimmy.

This time the very talented Jimmy Hazlewood, singer songwriter and actor will dazzle with his immersive showcase *Native Ambition* on Thurs 28th April, 8pm at Mosman Art Gallery.

'At sunset, a glass sphere washes up in a quiet bay on a semi-remote Island. The troubled young couple who discover the mythical object gain insight into its past owners.

*Native Ambition* is a concept album (due April 22) based on true stories and accounts of people who fled their existing lives to find a new one - and discovered much more.'

With special guest performer, Zac Harvey.

Glass of wine on arrival, as well as special take home keepsake. An evening not to be missed.

**Book [tickets online](#) and support Jimmy as he pursues his dream of a career as a musician and performer.**

Rowers members get \$5 off their ticket price using code: **rowers**

# NATIVE AMBITION

LIVE PERFORMANCE SHOWCASE

ORIGINAL MUSIC BY  
JIMMY HAZELWOOD

WITH SPECIAL GUEST  
ZAC HARVEY

MUSIC - DANCE - VISUALS

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